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Dear Sir:

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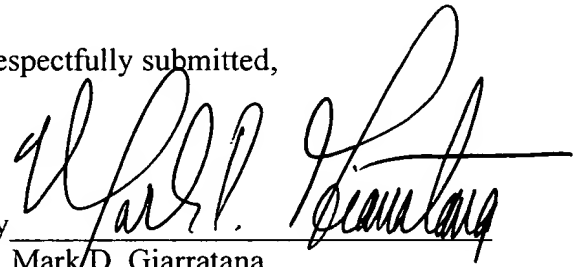
3. an Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and copies of the cited references; and

4. a Substitute Amendment.

No additional fee or petition for extension of time is believed to be required; however, if an additional fee or extension is required, please consider this a petition therefor, and authorization is hereby given to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1631 to cover any petition or additional fees required, or to credit any overpayment. **A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

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